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For:

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

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Attached is a copy of the Filing Receipt received from the U.S. Patent and Trademark

Office in the above-referenced application, on which we noticed that the filing date is listed
erroneously. A Response to Notice to File Missing Requirements was filed on March 14, 2005.

Copies of our facsimile transmission and Response to Notice to File Missing Parts are attached.

During a routine status check, attorney for applicants' office discovered that the Response to Notice to File Missing Requirements and the Preliminary Amendment filed by facsimile on March 14, 2005 were not entered in Private PAIR. Therefore, attorney for applicants resubmitted the March 14, 2005 documents on January 10, 2006. However, the applicants should be entitled to the March 14, 2005 date since we have provided proof of filing.

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Also attached is a Supplemental Application Data Sheet listing the correct filing date,

which should appear as: March 14, 2005. It is requested that a corrected filing receipt be issued.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated February 25, 2005, submitted herewith are the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application;

- Declaration and Power of Attorney (which is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) 1. and (b))
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